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In re: Application of Richard J. Church

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TITLE: COATING FOR COLD WORKING METALS

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT UNDER 35 USC 121

Commissioner of Patents
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Sir:

Introductory Comments

This paper responds to the Official Action mailed January 16, 2007, which set a shortened statutory period for reply of one month. This response is accompanied by a request for extension of time and is timely filed on or before March 16, 2006. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any required fee associated with entry of this amendment to Deposit Account 01-1250. Please enter the following amendments:

Currently pending claims are not amended hereby and accordingly are not recited herein, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.121 (c).

Remarks

The Examiner has stated that restriction is required under 35 U.S.C. 121. In accordance with 37 CFR 1.499, applicant is required to elect a single invention to which the claims must be restricted, from the following: